

Security Information

DIARY  
Executive Officer, DD/I

Monday, 16 February 1953

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1. [redacted] O/CI, called to report that he is dealing directly with State regarding the [redacted] request for lateral dissemination [redacted] 25X1A6a  
[redacted] of State Department [redacted]. He had run into some difficulty with Mr. Nordbeck and I told him that if this could not be resolved, he should draft a letter for DD/I signature if this is determined desirable.

2. 25X1A9a [redacted] called to ask if the "Handbook of Economic Estimates—Provisional," delivered to Mr. Dulles last May, was still current. I checked with Mr. Amory who tells me that it is but that the report is being revised. So informed [redacted] 25X1A9a

3. 25X1A9a [redacted] 25X1A9a 25X1A6a  
[redacted] O/CI, called to request permission for the AD/CI to release a weekly cable that precedes the [redacted] telecon. This cable had been mentioned in a [redacted] memorandum of 23 May 1952 as requiring DD/I's personal signature. Because of the agreements reached with [redacted] under which ADs could release their own cables, I informed [redacted] 25X1A9a  
[redacted] that it is no longer necessary to send this specific cable up for DD/I signature. I warned him, however, that any cable which, in the opinion of the AD, may be unusual or is of the nature that would ultimately involve DD/I, should always be sent here before being dispatched. AD CI

4. 25X1A9a [redacted] reported that General Cabell is planning a plane trip to the West coast the weekend of February 21 and asked if it would be appropriate for him to visit any of our installations in the Los Angeles area. I discussed this with [redacted] who suggested a trip to Reseda and possibly a visit to the [redacted] although the latter would normally be closed on the holiday, February 23. So informed [redacted] 25X1A9a  
25X1A9a [redacted] who will pass this on to General Cabell who, in turn, will let us know his decision on Wednesday. 25X1A6a 25X1A9a

5. 25X1A9a [redacted] informed me that Adlai Stevenson will call on the Director at 9:30, 18 February, but will not have time for the anticipated intelligence briefing.

6. 25X1A9a [redacted] 25X1A9a [redacted] discussed with [redacted] the IAC-type briefings to be given during March and [redacted] indicated that DD/P would participate as had [redacted] at the briefings given in March of last year. I 25X1A9a  
so informed [redacted] and told him that either [redacted] of O/CI (the ones staffing these briefings) would be in touch with him within the next few days. 25X1A9a

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